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"THO-RAD-X" IS BAILEY'S DISCOVERY

Predicts it Will Take Place of Radium in Medicine.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—The discovery of "Radio-Thor" or "Tho-Rad-X" by Dr. E. Stilian Bailey, has aroused a great deal of discussion among the scientific men of Chicago and the middle west. Prominent doctors interviewed on the subject differ as to the value of the discovery. A great many believe it possible that Dr. Bailey's find is something that will take the place of Radium while others say he is dealing with a long known substance, calcium sulphur, which throws off a peculiar ray.

Dr. Blackmar, associated with Dr. Bailey, says: "Aside from the cheapness of Tho-Rad-X there is no danger to the constituent as in the case of the X-Ray and Radium. For that reason alone it is good."

'TIS A BOOK WORTH WHILE

Dr. Blumer Contributes a Gem of Literature for the Benefit of Humanity

"REVOLUTION IN MEDICAL PRACTICE"

A Work of Strength that Will Do Much to Preserve and Promote Health.

A health book that is creating a stir in literary circles and among thinking people, and one of the most exhaustive on the subject that has ever come to our notice, is "The Revolution in Medical Practice," by Louis Blumer, D. P. N. D., of Hartford, Conn. Dr. Blumer is the great Psychopathic physician whose marvelous cures in cases that medical doctors have pronounced incurable have gained for him a very enviable reputation and have caused his name to be scattered broadcast. In his work which is dedicated to humanity at large, it has been the author's intention to create a plan for adoption that will play a very important part in the checking of disease, promotion of longevity and a healthier and happier race of people. It would seem humanity would be greatly benefited by this thoroughly readable book, for from its perusal must necessarily result an enlightenment which will proceed a great distance in the welfare of the human race. Many perfectly healthy people will read this book notice and they must not conclude that this literary gem is contributed for the sick alone. This is a book that not only suggests a plan to get well, but it affords the sanest advice and the most creditable suggestions of how to keep well. Health is the paramount asset of living. Without it man is a burden to himself and society and still he will waste it like spendthrift. Wake up! human beings, it is high time for an inventory of your health stock. Already it may be gone. It is planning a siege upon your citadel. Then do something sane and full of the good sense of which you are capable—check the monster before it engulfs you in its crushing slutches. Dr. Blumer directs the natural way in his wonderful treatise on modern curative systems as contrasted with the old school methods of administering drugs which poison the system and otherwise weaken the anatomical construction. Avoid every drug as you would the one designated poison by the devil and bones. Learn Naturopathy, which is a combination of all meritorious curative ideas—it is the only natural way to stay and become well, and a personal of Dr. Blumer's "The Revolution in Medical Practice" will be of the greatest amount of interest to everyone. This book is for sale at the newsroom of Hayes & Betts, 908 Main street, at two prices—35c and 50c. You should procure a copy of it at once as you are sure to discover its worth to you in the knowledge that it imparts and the encouragement it affords for the sick and well alike to be many times its small cost.

BOY BAND ADOPTS MODERN METHODS

COMPANY OF SIX CONNECTICUT YOUTHS STARTS FOR THE INDIAN COUNTRY WITH FULL TREASURY.

South Norwalk, Conn., Feb. 25.—Gone are the days of the rusty six shooter, the potato knife, the woodshed hatchet, and the twenty-five cent capital which saw so many failures in the line of juvenile Wild West expeditions. The modern adventurer, aged fourteen or thereabout, is abreast of reform. Darden noted today the passing of crudely planned and impetuously executed sorties for Indian scalps. The youthful Kit Carson has been brought up to date.

It began, as in the past, with a secret hut in the woods, with a box full of choice, hair raising literature and room for six conspirators. But when it came time to make plans the wily six departed from established traditions, like all the truly great. The first triumph was in maintaining absolute secrecy and their next was in making up a common fund of not less than \$1,000 in cash, to which each contributed. This came from the family purse of each.

Ray Edwards, Eugene Willmott, William and Fred Peterson, Frank Lassen and Morrison Deucey were the members of the band, and some of them belonged to the most prominent families of Danbury. Proceeding slowly, so as to avoid suspicion, they collected a formidable array of rifles, revolvers and knives. They did not make the mistake of encumbering themselves with the hardware. They packed the weapons in a trunk which they shipped to New York to await their arrival.

Their departure was a masterpiece of strategy. Each boy related a plausible story of a deferred visit to a friend in a neighboring town and obtained permission to absent himself overnight. In this way they evaded immediate pursuit. Four days ago was the date for decamping, and the band reported to Edwards, the leader and treasurer, at the hut in the woods. A brief note was left informing whom it might concern that they were headed for the Indian country, intending to continue thence into Mexico in search of the treasure of Montezuma.

From that point all trace of them is lost. They apparently left for New York. The fact that all had left at the same time became known yesterday when their retreat was discovered. No word has been received from any of them.

RUSSIA AGREES WITH THE POWERS

Probable That Danger of a War in the Balkans Will be Eliminated.

(Special from United Press.) Paris, Feb. 25.—The Balkan war crisis was ended to-day, in the opinion of French diplomats by Russia's agreement to act with the other European powers in making representations at Belgrade instead of at Vienna. News of Russia's agreement to the plan influenced chiefly by France and England was received to-day. It is practically certain that Germany will join the move as she has contended all along that such representations should be made by Belgrade. Serbia announced yesterday that she would rest her case and it is assured that whatever decision the coming conference makes will be accepted by Serbia.

Belgrade, Feb. 25.—Serbia's game of bluff is at an end. After a lot of beligerent talk, in which big demands were made of Austria and which admittedly gave Europe a bad work, the little kingdom has accepted the inevitable and will take whatever the Powers see fit to give her. The prospect of scant consideration at the hands of the conference has aroused the war party but the King and the new ministry and the majority of the leading citizens are against a continuance of the agitation.

Advertise in the Farmer.

STAMP SALES NET LARGE SUM FOR PLAGUE FIGHT

Report of Margaret M. Ford Shows Net Returns of \$2,255.96 for Fairfield County.

Bridgeport Heads the List of Generous Givers—Tuberculosis Society Encouraged by Results—Returns Relatively Much Greater Here Than in New York

The detailed report of Margaret M. Ford, the treasurer of the Red Cross Stamp committee of the Fairfield County Tuberculosis association, is as follows: Receipts from sales of Red Cross stamps in Bridgeport, \$2,003.61; Stratford, by Dr. W. B. Cogswell, \$5.50; Fairfield, by Dr. W. H. Donaldson, \$26; Norwalk, Mrs. John Seymour, Mrs. Alvin Wadsworth and Dr. W. J. Tracy, \$121; Stamford, Miss May Phelps, \$111; Darien, Dr. G. H. Noxon, \$14; Noroton Heights, Mr. M. W. Robinson, \$41.95; Greenwich, Dr. F. C. Hyde, \$50; Long Hill, Mrs. Stephen Burroughs, \$10; Redding, Miss Lily Sanford, \$22.28; Shelton, Mrs. W. S. Randall, \$44.12; Hawleyville, Mrs. Stanley J. Blackman, \$10.62; Newtown, Miss Fannie Daniels, \$18.95; Danbury, Dr. D. C. Brown, \$86.25; Roxbury, Mass., Mrs. Cosgrove, \$10; total receipts, \$2,546.03.

The total disbursements were \$290.97 for carriage, salaries of office help, messenger service, expressage and mail charges and stamps, leaving the net proceeds \$2,255.06.

The committee makes the following statement: "The final meeting of the Red Cross Stamp committee of Fairfield County Anti-Tuberculosis association was held Wednesday afternoon in the office of Mayor Lee in the city hall. Mrs. Henry Lee, chairman, presided.

The report of Mrs. M. H. Ford was read showing that 254,603 Red Cross stamps to be the total sale in Fairfield County and the net proceeds to be \$2,255.06.

"The report was enthusiastically received. A motion was made by Mrs. G. H. Noxon of Darien and unanimously carried. It was a vote of thanks be extended to the Bridgeport nurses, the ladies having in charge the nurses registries, and all in other towns who generously gave their services in selling stamps. Also to the manufacturers, business men and all who co-operated with those selling stamps, and to the press. The general public of Fairfield County, who by their generosity made the sale such a success.

"Before the close of the meeting the chairman thanked the ladies of the committee for their interest in and generous support of the work."

The committee is well pleased with the number of stamps sold, which, in proportion to the sales in other cities, notably New York, which is 45 times the size of Bridgeport in population, and where the receipts aggregated but \$15,000, about seven times as much as the Bridgeport sale. The delay in the arrival of the stamps from the various towns about the county was something of a handicap. It was due to the failure of the printers to deliver the stamps to the National Red Cross society on time, but everything considered the committee has made a splendid showing.

Weather Indications.

New Haven, Feb. 25.—Forecast: Fair to-night; Saturday partly cloudy and warm.

A slight disturbance is central this morning near Minnesota. It is producing cloudy weather with snow in the upper Mississippi valley and in western portion of the lake region. Pleasant weather prevails in the southern sections and along the Atlantic coast. Freezing temperatures extend as far south as Georgia. The temperature is rising in the central and western portions.

SON FOR SECRETARY GREENE.

A son was born to-day to Secretary M. E. Brewster-Greene, of the Manufacturers' Association, at his home, 1233 Noble avenue.

If Money Could Talk-- 800 Pennies Would Shout-- "You MUST Come Up To Buy NOW!"

Napoleon won Austerlitz by knowing the value of time. He lost Waterloo by staying in bed too long. If he hadn't been so sleepy on that morning of 1815—Bridgeport might belong to France right now.

Moral—Don't sleep on the job.

Be awake to opportunities. Here is yours!

To close the season.

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\$ 7.75 for values up to \$15.00

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Upstairs rent and small expenses saves you \$8.00.

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MEAT DEPARTMENT

Prime Rib Roast Beef.....10c and 12 1/2c lb
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 Fresh Hamburg Steak.....9c lb
 Prime Veal Roast.....8c, 10c and 12c lb
 Fresh Killed Fowl.....16c and 18c lb
 Fresh Smoked Shoulders.....9c lb

GROCERIES, SPECIALS

Bartlett Pears.....10c can, 3 for 25c
 Hecker's Quakers or Mother's Oat Meal 8c package
 Alaska Salmon.....9c can
 Karo Corn Syrup.....9c can
 Large can Scouring Powder.....10c can

10 STAMPS WITH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES

1 Loaf C. B. X. Bread.....10c
 1 pound Milk Crackers.....10c
 1 bottle Pure Vanilla Extract.....10c
 1 bottle Blue Label Catsup.....20c
 2 packages Shredded Codfish.....10c
 2 boxes Parlor Matches.....10c

80 Stamps with 1 lb G. M. Tea 60c **50 Stamps with 1 lb New Crop Tea 50c** **20 Stamps with 1 lb Choice Tea 35c**

40 Stamps with 1 lb G. M. Coffee 32c **25 Stamps with 1 lb Vict. Blend Coffee 25c** **10 Stamps with 1 lb Breakfast Coffee 20c**

50 Stamps with 1 bottle Monogram Whiskey \$1.00 **120 Stamps with 1 lb can White Lily Baking Powder 45c**

INAUGURATION SHOE SALE

Style you can see for yourself, but quality is something that you have to take the dealer's word for until you have proven it for yourself. It is up to you to deal with those who have a reputation for dependable goods and honest methods. This sale is not an offering of manufacturer's odds and ends of shoes purchased for the express purpose of being palmed off at seemingly little prices. Every pair of shoes in this great sale is from regular stock, made for us to sell in the regular way. The only trouble is that we have too many in some sizes and widths. If you have shoe needs—this is the time and place to fill them and save great big dollars. Come and buy liberally. You will never regret any purchases at these prices.

HOT	HOTTER	HOTTEST
\$4.00 Men's Pat. Colt. Button and Lace, \$2.85	\$4.00 Women's Gun Metal Button and Lace, \$1.98	\$4.00 Women's Pat. Colt. Button and Lace, \$1.87
\$3.50 Men's Pat. Colt. Button and Lace, \$1.98	\$3.50 Women's Russia Calf Lace, \$2.19	\$2.50 Women's Pat. Tip Button and Lace, \$1.97
\$3.50 Boys' Pat. Colt. Button and Lace, \$1.98	\$1.75 Misses' Pat. Tip Lace, \$1.34	\$1.75 Men's Calf Lace, \$1.34
\$2.50 Boys' Box Calf Lace, \$1.69	\$1.50 Misses' Pat. Tip Lace, \$1.19	\$1.25 Children's Kid Lace, 97c
\$3.00 Misses' High Cut Button, \$1.98	\$2.50 Men's Calf Lace, \$1.97	\$1.10 Little Gent's Calf Lace, 87c
\$1.35 Boys' Calf Lace, 98c	\$1.25 Youths' Calf Lace, 98c	Men's Woodscock Boots, \$2.48

HOLBROOK & McNAMARA

Boston Shoe Store 1005 Main St.

One of Hook's Practical Jokes.

Theodore Hook forged 4,000 letters to 4,000 tradesmen and others requesting them to call on a certain day and hour at the house of a wealthy widow, Mrs. Tottenham, in Berners street, London, against whom he had conceived a grudge.

These people began to arrive soon after daybreak. The rush continued until nearly midnight. They came by fifties and hundreds.

There were 100 chimney sweeps, 100 bakers, fifty doctors, fifty dentists, fifty accouchers. There were priests to administer extreme unction and Methodist ministers to offer last prayers. There were fifty confectioners with wedding cakes, fifty undertakers with coffins, fifty fishermen with baskets of cod and lobsters. They pushed, quarreled and fought, and the police were called out to prevent a riot. Finally among the hoaxed ones came the governor of the Bank of England, the royal Duke of Gloucester and the lord mayor of London, each lured thither by some cunning pretext. A police investigation followed, but the perpetrator was not detected.

A Wonderful Bowman.

The Romans were very skillful bowmen, although they discarded the weapon in warfare, trusting to the charge and to hand to hand fighting. Many of the Roman emperors were famous archers. It is said that Domitian would place boys in the circus at a considerable distance from him and as they held up their hands with the fingers outstretched he would send the arrows between them with such nicety and ac-

curacy of aim that he never inflicted a wound.

The wicked emperor Commodus boasted that he never missed his aim or failed to kill the wild beast that he shot with a single arrow. He would set a shaft in his bow as some wild beast was set free in the circus to devour a living criminal condemned to die. Just when the furious animal was springing on his prey the emperor would strike it dead at the man's feet. Sometimes .00 flops were let loose at once in order that he, with 100 arrows might kill them. With arrows to heads of which were semicircular he would sever the necks of ostriches in full flight.

A Talent For Balancing.

The pleasant coffee room of the old Star and Garter at Richmond, which was burned down in 1869, was patronized by England's statesmen, politicians and writers. On Saturday evenings it was regularly visited by a middle aged gentleman of rather broad stature, with gray hair and a large shirt collar which formed a conspicuous feature in his attire. He would dine always alone at a particular corner table, and after dinner it was his habit to build up before him a pyramid of tumblers and wineglasses, which he topped with a decanter. Occasionally the whole structure would topple over and litter the table with its ruins. Then the middle aged gentleman would rise, pay his bill, including the charge for broken glass, and depart. The waiters knew him well. He was Thomas Babington, Lord Macaulay.

WANT ADS. GENT A WORD.

Curious Greetings.

A French journal has been looking into the question of how different races express the colloquialism "How do you do?" and presents some curious examples. The Koreans, for instance, do not give or imply any offense when they greet each other with the remark, "You do look old." Persians say, "May Allah preserve your beard and cover it with benedictions." Among a tribe of Fiji islanders the correct form of salutation is to pull one's ear. A Caroline islander kneels before his friend, whose foot he grasps and slaps himself vigorously in the face with it. In the Sudan a traveler was addressed by a native chief as "Mighty sun," the said chief finishing up with "Glory to thee O splendid moon," the remark being accentuated by expectorating in the traveler's right hand.

Greatness.

There is a kind of elevation which does not depend on fortune. It is a certain air which distinguishes us and seems to destitute us for great things. It is a price which we imperceptibly set on ourselves. By this quality we usurp the deference of other men, and it puts us, in general, more above them than birth, dignity or even merit itself.—La Rochefoucauld.

A Coincidence.

"I'm afraid, George," said his fiancée, "that you are going from bad to worse."

"Quite a coincidence," muttered George. "That's what Clara said when I threw her over for you."